

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Yuuichi NISHIKOUJI et al.**

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Examiner: **Lauren NGUYEN**

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PLATE, LIQUID CRYTAL DISPLAY AND IMAGE DISPLAY**

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2008, in which the Examiner set forth a three-month period for response, making a response timely if filed on or before December 11, 2008.

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